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EFFECT CANCELLATION

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Response To Restriction Requirement

Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to a Restriction Requirement dated October 17th 2005, issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified Application. A response to the Restriction Requirement was due November 17th, 2005. Applicants are concurrently filing a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time, including the required fee. Therefore, a response is due December 17th, 2005. Accordingly, this Response is being timely filed.

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Applicants elect with traverse to prosecute claims 1-11 of Group I drawn to a method for reading non-volatile memory cells.

Claims 12-17 of Group II, drawn to drawn to a method for programming non-volatile memory cells, are withdrawn at this time.

Applicants reserve all rights in these non-elected claims, claims 12-17, to file divisional and/or continuation patent applications.

If the Examiner has any questions or comments as to this response, the undersigned may be contacted at the address and telephone number below.

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